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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following documents:

1. Amendment and Response to September 9, 2004 Examiner's Communication (6 pgs.);
2. Copy of Examiner's Communication mailed September 9, 2004; and
3. Return Postcard.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Attorney Reference No. 25619-501.

Should any questions or issues arise concerning this application, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

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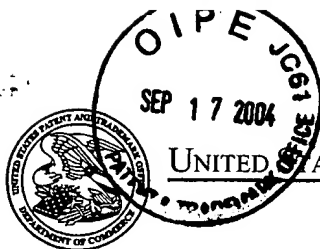
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The reply filed on 6/10/2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s).


The previous Office Action stated in paragraph 2 that:

Applicant is advised that a reply to this requirement must include an identification of the species that is elected consonant with this requirement, and a listing of all claims readable thereon, including any claims subsequently added.

Said listing is absent from the amendment filed 6/10/2004.

See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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